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► Calgary Flames captain Jarome Iginla celebrates a goal by Alex Tanguay last night in Denver. The Flames beat the Colorado Avalanche 2-1. Story, page 16.

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Melt leads to warnings

► Environment Canada says 20 to 30 centimetres of snow fell on Saturday ► Temperatures reached near 2 C yesterday



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After getting endlessly pounded by snow Saturday, Calgarians awoke to a shining sun and blue skies yesterday.

And while many residents took advantage of the favourable conditions — snowmen and snowball fights were a common sight yesterday afternoon — city crews and property managers alike were holding their breaths as the big melt began.

Calgary fire spokesperson Brian McAsey said residents need to ensure all drains are running off their property to help prevent flooding.

"It doesn't take much. Even a few inches, it creates a huge problem," he said.

Temperature fluctuations have already caused numerous water pipes to freeze and then burst this winter.

Keith McMullen, president of Fireside Property Group, said in recent months flooding from burst pipes has damaged six of the 16 buildings he manages locally and he fears it's not over yet.

"I think this had been a particularly bad winter ... Landlords all over have been dealing with problems," he said.

McAsey said the fire department responded to 400 flood calls in 2010, and similar issues have continued this year as Calgary's roller-coaster weather patterns continue.

"Wouldn't it be nice if it was a little more gradual?" he said, chuckling.



► Not everybody hates the snow.

**"It's just the nature of
Calgary weather, right?
It snows, melts, snows,
melts and then we end
up with puddles
everywhere."**

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Calgarians vie for Wipeout prize

Canadian thrill-seekers took their punches during the premiere of Wipeout Canada last night, but two Calgary competitors said the bumps and bruises were worth it.

"I really wanted to try the big balls because I thought for sure I was just going to fly across them,"

said pyrotechnician Julie Menchini. "It was the hardest thing I've ever physically done in my life."

Fellow Calgarian Jonathan Ruiz said the show looks comedic but is more difficult than he expected.

"I was one of those people that watched it and always thought that's some-

thing I could do, that's something I could win," said Ruiz, who competed in the family episode with his mom Laurel.

"By the end of it, you're just exhausted," he said.

The two are among 61 other Albertans who will appear during the 13-episode run. 



► Calgary Wipeout competitor Jonathan Ruiz said he would compete in the body-bruising game show again in a heartbeat. 

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Lodge forced to turn families away

► Nearly 40 families unable to stay at Ronald McDonald House in March ► Expansion could be fast-tracked to double capacity

 JEREMY NOLAIS
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As if helping her three-year-old daughter battle leukemia is not enough, Lecara Davidson is also faced with high costs as they repeatedly trek from their B.C. home to Calgary for treatment.

Since Chloe was diagnosed last February, the Davidsons have made 18 trips — five hours each way — into town for an overnight stay.

Sometimes they are able to stay in the Ronald McDonald House, a lodge next to the Alberta Children's Hospital that houses families coping with an

ill child for \$12 a night.

"Even though Chloe is going through a horrible experience with chemotherapy, she still talks about Ronald McDonald House and she's there," Lecara said.

But lately the organization has been flooded with requests, said executive director Larry Mathieson, adding the house is the busiest it's been since opening four years ago.

He said the lodge was built with expansion in mind — adding another wing would allow the capacity to be doubled — but it's a matter of acquiring the necessary funds.

"We assumed that we

wouldn't have to build it for a decade," he said of the added wing. "We have been a little surprised."

Over capacity

- The current Ronald McDonald House cost \$14 million to build. It features 23 suites.
- When unable to stay at the lodge, families can sometimes find accommodation at one of Ronald McDonald House's partner hotels for a discounted rate.



► Visits by playful puppies are among the many highlights offered to Lecara Davidson and her daughter Chloe at Ronald McDonald House.

Trail closes — with no relief route in sight

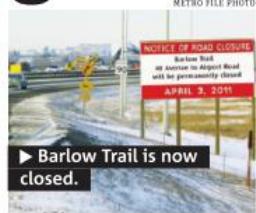
The nearly five-kilometre section of Barlow Trail officially closed over the weekend and a relief route is still years down the road — if at all.

Construction of a new airport runway will begin soon on the section of

Barlow Trail between Airport Road and 48th Avenue NE.

The city has not yet finalized an agreement on the airport tunnel with the Calgary Airport Authority.





► Barlow Trail is now closed.

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News in brief

Man in custody after holing up

NORTHEAST. Police arrested a man in Calgary's northeast after the resident barricaded himself inside his home early yesterday morning. Officers responded to a domestic incident around 2 a.m.

and eventually took the man into custody around 9:15 a.m. 

Fire under investigation

MOUNT DOUGLAS. Fire crews are looking into the cause of a vehicle fire that took place yesterday afternoon. Around 2 p.m., firefighters were called to the 300 block of Mount Douglas Green SE. 

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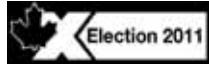
As Stephen Harper and Michael Ignatieff take the day off, Jack Layton steals the spotlight. Video at metronews.ca

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The bizarre job of reporting from Gadhafi's "gilded cage" for foreign journalists in Libya. Scan the code for the story.

Liberals' style stands out at platform launch



Never mind the substance, check out the style.

The Liberal campaign platform launch yesterday wasn't just an opportunity for the party to tout its "family pack" policy agenda paid for by billions in business tax hikes.

The online launch of the 94-page document was designed as a study in contrasts between Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff and Prime Minister Stephen Harper as Canadian voters consider their ballot choices for May 2.

"This is what democracy

looks like," Ignatieff said, speaking without notes or TelePrompTer in a hotel ballroom ringed with seated supporters.

"This is the right way to do it, folks ... You put ideas out, you defend them clearly and then you stand and answer questions in front of the Canadian people."

The launch format included video addresses from Liberal candidates heralding four family-friendly platform elements: pension reforms; post-secondary education; home care; and early childhood education.

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Red Book launch

The detailed Liberal platform release comes unusually early in the 36-day campaign.

- It mirrors the Liberal launch of their 1993 campaign "Red Book" that was also delivered in a budget-style media lock-up at a downtown Ottawa hotel — designed to lend an air of credibility to a policy blueprint.
- This time, the document also went out online, something Michael Ignatieff said made "a little bit of history."



► Prime Minister Stephen Harper plays ball hockey with a group of youngsters in Ottawa yesterday.

Harper sticks to tax credits

Stephen Harper started the second week of his federal election campaign in his personal comfort zone: Listening to some AC/DC and playing a little hockey.

He stayed in his policy comfort zone as well.

Harper announced that, if elected, the Tories would double the existing tax credit for children's sports to \$1,000 and introduce a \$500 credit for adults.

But neither will come into force until the budget is balanced — or not until 2015-16, according to Tory estimates.

"Our approach is clear — when we can afford it, we will lower your taxes," Harper told a campaign event yesterday at an Ottawa gym, where a group of young martial artists kicked and punched the air behind him.

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Saturday, April 9

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Wednesday, April 6

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SUMMER'S BOOST

Winter keeps on, keeping on.

Calgarians, let's link arms, close our eyes, and remember ... summer. Yes, city council influences these cherished months. Two things are going well, one is not. The best? The River of Light on the Bow River last August. The French firm Creatmosphere was paid \$76,000 by the city to float large translucent coloured balls down the river at night.

I was skeptical.

Balls on water? But thousands lined the river's banks on a calm summer's night. The effect was enchanting. Like a collective child's pose, after a tough slog of yoga class.

The city is smart to plan another Bow River celebration next year. But Bow celebrations need to be married to a progressive pesticide policy. That's not going well. At all.

We need to ensure our rivers are free of these poisons. The city's stubborn pro-pesticide stance is a threat to human and animal health. New disclosure laws should record city meetings with poison lobbyists.

The Calgary River Valleys group is polling Calgarians about our river. Go online to have your say.

Another summer boon? The city's new festival subsidy program. It waives the licensing and security fees for public events.

Last year, the subsidy was \$600,000 for 65 applicants and this year there is \$1 million up for grabs. (The next deadline is May 1.)

Those chosen were groups like the Arusha Centre for the Bow River Flow, Korean Day and the trilingual newspaper Alberta Des Punjab Times for its anniversary celebration. According to owner Braham Luddu, the paper staged a two-day festival of food, dancing and mingling in the park, to be repeated on the August long weekend.

Interestingly, many subsidies went to events with corporate sponsors: The HSBC Calgary Marathon and Sport Chek Mother's Day Run. I guess they deserve a break.

One is a head scratcher: The Glencoe Club's subsidy for its Icebreaker Road Race. This is the most expensive private club in the city. But anyone who hasn't paid the \$57 fee is barred from stepping inside the club.

Only one community association, Cliff Bungalow, received a subsidy for the "Mission Historic Promenade Grand Opening." CAs need more encouragement for local events.

Sadly, the city refuses to disclose which groups received how much in subsidy. That's bad. But public policy to get us moving and celebrating together is a good one.

Letters

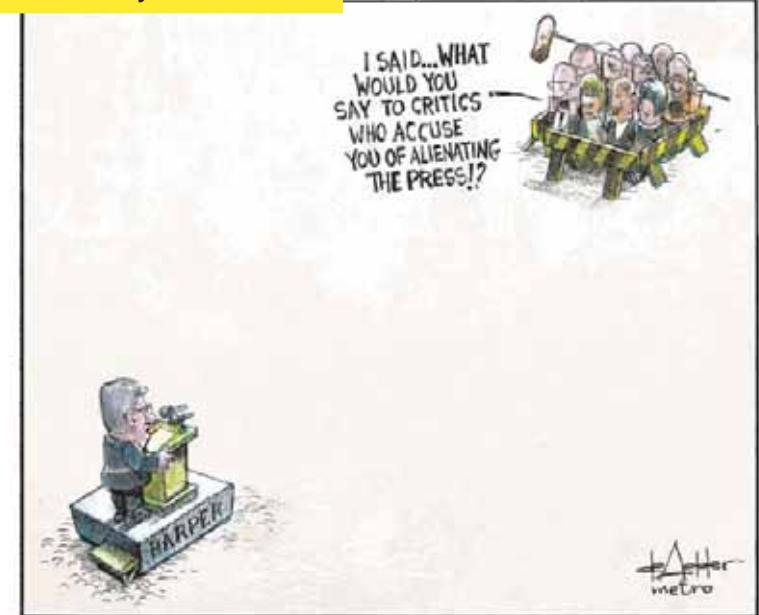
GATINEAU, Que. By voting or not, young Canadians will decide May 2 whether our country will move towards greater assistance to banks and large corporations or towards a growing economy based on wealth sharing and Canadians' well-being.

An analysis of EKOS polling between July 7 and Sept. 28 of last year suggested Canadians between the ages of 18 and 24 would elect a Liberal minority government, with a substantial increase in representation for the New Democrats, Bloc Québécois and Greens. The Conservative party would be severely reduced, virtually wiped out in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritimes.

Unfortunately, only 37 per cent of eligible voters between the ages of 18 and 24 exercised their democratic duty during the 2008 federal election. Let's hope these facts will catch young voters' attention and bring them to the ballots May 2. More than ever, the future of a Canada for all Canadians is in young Canadian voters' hands.

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Cartoon by Michael De Adder



WEIRD NEWS

Pillows and feathers fly across the globe

People in cities across the globe took part in mass pillow fights as part of International Pillow Fight Day. Pillow fights were held in a number of Canadian cities, including Calgary, Vancouver, Montreal, Toronto and London.

In Vancouver, the flash mob was organized on Facebook and several hundred people showed up with pillows and proceeded to knock the stuffing out of them in a frenzied

fight outside the Vancouver Art Gallery.

In London's Trafalgar Square, people came decked out in pyjamas, dressing gowns and fancy dress to take part in the good-natured pillow fight Saturday afternoon. Most people carried feather-filled pillows that exploded as they fought.

London's Metropolitan Police said yesterday the event had been peaceful and they had no reports of any trouble.

Organizers listed similar events in more than 130 cities around the world. The fights were organized by the Urban Playground Movement, which wants to encourage people to make use of public spaces.

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TODAY'S QUESTION: DO YOU THINK THE NHL IS RETURNING TO WINNIPEG AND QUEBEC CITY?

Local tweets



- @HouseGuyScott: Final toll: 7 inches of snow on my patio table. #snowstorm in #yyc. And now, without further ado, "spring."
- @Crachlach: Witnessed the monumental closing of barlow trail. May you rest in peace dear strip of road. I hope you're reincarnated as a #tunderpass
- @ohinternet: Living in #yyc means there is no federal campaign happening. It's kind of surreal to live in a city that's already decided #elxn41
- @AstroSmart: It's like I'm in a world made of slurpee. Except that the slurpee flavour is dirt and gravel. #yyc #fb.
- @yestunnel: #tunderpass not open before Brlw closed #yycc but Henry Ford said Whether you think you can or whether you think you can't, you're right
- @citrusphoto: Ipad 2 lineup at market mall is reasonable. Still stupid tho. #consumerism #yyc
- @KimMcNeilYoga: Shoveling yesterday evening = excellent back workout. I'm feeling it today — can't wait to feel it more tomorrow!

Markets, dollar grind forward

► Analysts expect Canadian job gains of up to 30,000

Stock markets look set to extend gains this week after signs that the U.S. economy is gaining momentum.

The U.S. labour department reported Friday that the economy created 216,000 jobs last month, while the jobless rate edged down one-tenth of a percentage point to a two-year low of 8.8 per cent.

The numbers sent the Toronto stock exchange up five per cent for the first quarter. And the Canadian

dollar could rise further at the end of the week when traders see the latest employment numbers. Statistics Canada is expected to report another month of strong gains.

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Market moment

TSX	Dollar	Oil	Natural gas
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			Gold contracts \$1,428.90 US (- \$11 US)

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Urban. Refusal



► Twitter has asked for an exemption from San Francisco's payroll tax in exchange for a promise to move its thriving business to 1355 Market St. on a block teeming with transients, drugs and crime.

Twitter tax deal is bitter tweet

As an incentive for moving its headquarters to a blighted inner-city block in San Francisco, Twitter has asked to be released from the city's payroll tax on new hires. But politicians and unionists condemn the proposal as a gift to the rich.

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Scene in brief



The Easter bunny has hopped into the top spot at the weekend box office. Russell Brand's family comedy Hop debuted at No. 1 with \$38.1 million, according to studio estimates yesterday.

Jake Gyllenhaal's action thriller Source Code debuted at No. 2 with \$15.1 million. The haunted-house tale Insidious opened at No. 3 with \$13.5 million. The previous weekend's top movie, Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules, fell to No. 4 with \$10.2 million, raising its total to \$38.4 million.

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Kids pick their favourites

Johnny Depp showed his appreciation for his Kids' Choice Award with a slimming.

After earning the blimp-shaped favourite movie actor trophy for his Mad Hatter role in Alice in Wonderland, Depp manned a hose and unleashed waves of green goop on the screaming crowd of more than 10,000 kids — and a few adults.

"You guys are the future," he said Saturday before spraying the slime inside University of Southern California's Galen Center. "Take good care of us."

The screaming mob at Nickelodeon's 24th annual fan-favourite ceremony later revolted by flicking the goo at Modern Family co-star Rico Rodriguez and Arthur leading man Russell Brand.

Jack Black, the zany master of ceremonies, kicked off the silly show by arriving in a monster truck, performing a flash mob-style routine on the orange carpet.

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Winners

A partial list of winners from the 24th annual Nickelodeon Kids' Choice Awards.

- **Favourite Movie:** The Karate Kid
- **Favourite Movie Actor:** Johnny Depp, Alice in Wonderland
- **Favourite Movie Actress:** Miley Cyrus, The Last Song
- **Favourite Animated Movie:** Despicable Me.
- **Favourite TV Show:** iCarly
- **Favourite TV Actor:** Dylan Sprouse, The Suite Life on Deck.
- **Favourite TV Actress:** Selena Gomez, Wizards of Waverly Place.

- Former sitcom star's opening night does not go over well with fans
- Torpedo of Truth tour greeted with boos and calls for it to be ended

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► Charlie Sheen performs at the Fox Theatre in Detroit, Saturday. He came out with his "goddesses" holding "War" and "Lock" signs.

Charlie Sheen bombs in tour opener

Charlie Sheen and his "goddesses" took the stage to thunderous applause Saturday night for the first leg of his Torpedo of Truth tour. The 70-minute show hadn't even ended when the first reviews were in, and they were brutal.

The former Two and a Half Men star showed that comedic success on the screen doesn't necessarily translate to the stage, and the capacity crowd at Detroit's 5,100-seat Fox Theatre rebelled before the show ended, chanting "refund!" and walking out in droves.

Linda Fugate, 47, of the Detroit suburb of Lincoln Park, left the theatre and walked up the street

yelling, "I want my money back!"

She said she paid \$150 for two seats.

"I was hoping for something. I didn't think it would be this bad."

Sheen's publicist Larry Solters declined to comment after the show, but Sheen reappeared after the house lights went up to thank those who remained.

Fans who arrived at the theatre — some who had to fly in for the show — said they were hoping to see the increasingly eccentric actor deliver some of the colourful rants that have made him an Internet star since his ugly falling out with CBS and

the producers of Two and a Half Men.

They got the ranting. It just wasn't funny.

"I expected him to at least entertain a little bit. It was just a bunch of ranting," said Rodney Gagnon, 34, of Windsor, Ont.

On Twitter, where Sheen has amassed some 3.4 million followers, some fans were already predicting a premature end for the planned 20-city tour, which was scheduled to resume last night in Chicago.

"Charlie Sheen thanks for saying goodbye! Piece of advice cancel the rest of your tour," someone tweeted under the name ChristosMo.

The show started well for the 45-year-old Sheen, with the audience standing and cheering as he and the women he calls his "goddesses" took the stage. The women, a former porn star and an actress who live with him, carried placards with the words "War" and "Lock," a reference to Sheen's recent description of himself as a warlock.

"I don't see a single empty seat," he said.

Not long into the show, though, an audience member booted, prompting Sheen to sanguinely reply, "I've already got your money, dude."

Things only got worse.

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Strong sales lead to mini-series for Kevin Keller, gay Archie's character

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Lohan's Betty Ford brawl tape released

► Rehab worker, Lohan heard screaming and hurling insults on 911 call from clinic ► Prosecutors found insufficient evidence to file any charges

The yelling- and expletive-filled 911 call from the night of Lindsay Lohan's infamous Betty Ford Center brawl has been released, according to Radar Online.

During the call, both Lohan and clinic worker Dawn Holland can be heard complaining to the operator, yelling at each other and struggling over the phone.

"Lindsay Lohan is being rude. She's gotten on the phone with her mom and she's telling her mom I'm being rude to her, which I'm not," Holland says in the recording. ● METRO



Celebrity tweets



"In the Cedar Rapids Iowa Airport. A man is drinking Mountain Dew & eating a carton of cubed cheese 4 breakfast."

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"Made a Britney joke, then a door hit me. God's on Britney's side. Not mine. Got it."

Beckham dishes on baby names

David Beckham stopped by Jimmy Kimmel Live to talk about how excited his family is to be welcoming the arrival of its first daughter — and to dish on possible baby names.

"We've got a few in mind, but we also said to the boys, 'Give us some ideas,'" Beckham said. "When we got told it was a boy, Romeo said, 'How about Justin Bieber as a name? Justin Bieber Beckham?' So now that we know it's a girl, he was like, 'How about Justine Bieber Beckham?'"

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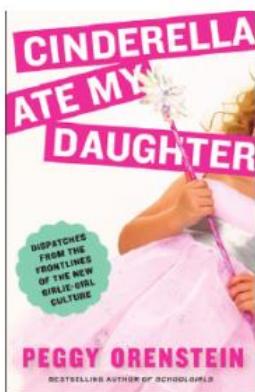
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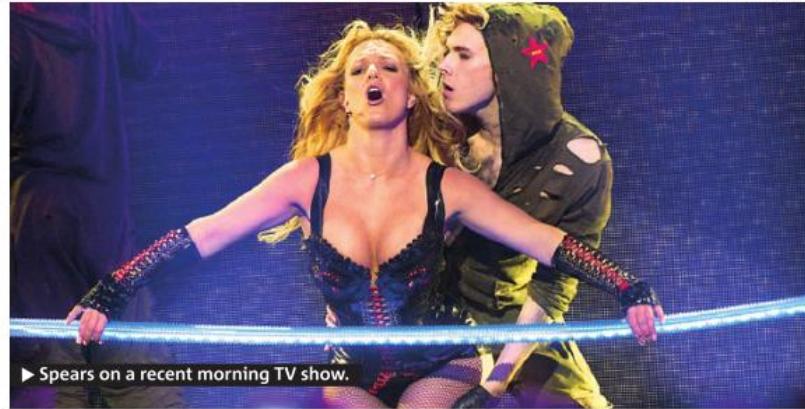
● Britney Spears' new album, *Femme Fatale*, debuted last week
 ● Author Peggy Orenstein examines the long-lasting — and damaging — effects of the 'girl power' pop star's sexuality

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In your new book *Cinderella Ate My Daughter*, you write about how Disney princess culture has altered your little girl's view of sexuality. It reminded me of Britney Spears, when she debuted in a schoolgirl outfit posing suggestively.

Yes, she set a template for a lot of the confusion that came after and was ironically a direct outgrowth of the Girl Power movement — she had an impact on the way Girl Power was commodified and changed. On the one hand, she was a breakthrough because she was a girl who was a star for girls, as opposed to, say, David Cassidy or Bobby Sherman or the Jonas Brothers today. But as such, she had this whole different approach. She was at once selling chastity and sex and combining them in this really weird way.

And she was doing this for really little girls, when she started.



▶ Spears on a recent morning TV show.

It's hard to remember now, but one of her central fan bases was six-year-old girls, who would go to her concerts and scream and shout. She always talked about being a virgin. And she'd say, "If you see me as a Lolita, that's your problem." But everything she did completely contradicted that. It's this weird thing where she was sexualizing innocence and fetishizing it. So it was an ultimately incredibly disempowering stance for girls to see.

And what's been the fallout all these years later?

The culture has taken up

that message. It plays into the diva culture of little girls right now, that accelerated makeup and hot dance moves, with Miley Cyrus and the like. I want to be clear: I don't come at this from a perspective to be negative about sexuality. It's just that when little girls have inappropriate sexuality — however it's imposed, by pop culture or adults they love — they don't understand it. The risk is that they never connect it and sexiness becomes a performance for them rather than something that involves intimacy. Instead they see sexiness as something they

do for the pleasure and entertainment for others. As if self-objectification was a rite of passage.

You see that today: Young girls "sex" naked photos of themselves to their boyfriends.

With sexting, there's also an issue of sexual entitlement. Girls are feeling like they have to perform the idea that they're comfortable with their sexuality. And you have to wonder, what is it that they're getting? They don't have pleasure or control. What is the reality of what that act gives them? It's not anything healthy.

So what are parents supposed to do?
 First, it's about limiting their access to media and such, when they're really little. And also trying to expand their ideas of who they are and what they can be, that's not linked constantly to playing at pretty or sassy (which is sexy with training wheels). Educate them and yourself.

Who is your daughter Daisy idolizing these days?

Well, this is going to sound politically correct but it's true. We went to a dinner the other night where this 99-year-old judo champion was being honoured. She was talking about, among other things, how one should be gentle, strong and beautiful. To illustrate "gentle" and "strong," she said she could walk up to a man twice her size (which wouldn't be hard, she was about four-foot-nine) and touch him with her index finger and he would collapse. And by beautiful, she meant not the externals but a beautiful heart. I told Daisy, "Look at her, isn't she amazing!" She was taken. She was into it.

life

New study

81 minutes...
 is the amount of time working moms spend looking after their kids in the U.K. per week, according to a new study by the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development. That includes meals. Stay-at-home moms — and possibly Nanny McPhee? (pictured) — spent twice as much time.



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Pork chops with an apple twist

► This flavourful pork dish can be served up with rice or potatoes

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Cooking pork chops with the bone in offers up a juicy and flavourful dish.

And, with a few other pantry staples, dinner is ready. These pork chops are go perfectly with rice or mashed potatoes and your favourite vegetables.

Preparation:

- 1 Place pork chops on plate and sprinkle both sides with sage, thyme, salt and pepper. Dredge each pork chop in flour to coat, shake off excess.
- 2 In large nonstick skillet heat oil over medium high heat and brown pork chops on both sides. Remove to plate and keep warm. Return skillet to medium heat and cook onion for 5 minutes or until

softened. Add apples and thyme and cook for 2 minutes. Add cider and raisins and bring to boil. Return pork chops to skillet and turn to coat. Simmer for about 5 minutes or until hint of pink remains inside. Sprinkle with parsley before serving.

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Ingredients:

- 4 bone in pork loin chops
- 1/2 tsp (2 mL) each dried sage and thyme leaves
- 1/2 tsp (2 mL) each salt and pepper
- 3 tbsp (45 mL) all purpose flour
- 2 tbsp (25 mL) olive oil
- 1 onion, thinly sliced
- 2 apples (such as Empire or Cortland), cored and thinly sliced
- 1 1/2 cups (375 mL) apple cider
- 1/4 cup (50 mL) raisins
- 2 tbsp (25 mL) chopped fresh Italian parsley

Garlic & Herb Pull-Apart Bread



Stir in egg and oil and continue to mix on low until well blended.

- 3 Transfer dough to floured surface and knead until smooth and elastic, 6 minutes. Shape dough into ball, and transfer to oiled bowl; turning once to coat. Cover; let rise in warm, draft-free place until doubled in size, about 45 minutes.

- 4 Punch dough down and spread onto a lightly floured surface. Using hands, pat dough into a 25x30 cm rectangle, approximately 3 cm thick. Divide dough into about 30 pieces using knife; roll into balls. Dip dough balls into oil and herb mixture to lightly coat. Arrange coated dough balls evenly in bottom of greased 25 cm tube pan. Cover; let rise in warm, draft-free place until doubled in size, about 30 minutes.

- 5 Bake at 350°F/180°C for 25 to 30 minutes. Let cool in pan on rack for 10 minutes. Invert to move from pan and serve. **NEWS CANADA**

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Out of time?

► Despite declining participation for the Earth Hour, experts insisting that it's still a relevant event today


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The fourth annual Earth Hour was observed across Canada last Saturday evening. From 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., lights dimmed in hundreds of communities, as Canadians lent their efforts to a global initiative to reduce power use.

But in Canada at least, the savings were fairly negligible. Toronto saved only half the power of a year ago. Other big cities also showed reduced results, and in Edmonton, electricity consumption actually went up. So, was it a success? Is Earth Hour an idea that's worth pursuing?

"Absolutely, it's a useful exercise," says Stacey McCarthy, communications manager for WWF-Canada in Halifax. "We're very happy that the number of participating cities, municipalities and towns in Canada increased to 422 this year. It was 304 a year ago."

McCarthy insists rising participation — as opposed to kilowatt-hours saved — is the better measure of Earth Hour's effectiveness.

"The one hour is a symbolic demonstration more than an effort to save power," she says. "We just want to see awareness increasing, and that's what did happen. Earth Hour is becoming a common household term. It's exciting to see Canadians click

in and say 'I need to do something about this.'

Jennifer Link, spokesperson for Toronto Hydro, agrees.

"Generally, conservation is a year-round activity," she says.

"This is an awareness-raising tactic to get people excited about conservation. Why wouldn't you do it? It generates interest, and gets people thinking about conservation for the longer term."

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AND HE'S GONE WITH THE WIND

► Gazing out the window might not be a waste of time after all ► Alex Stuart proves it

Tip

neurial inspiration can strike anywhere. For Alex Stuart, it was while looking out the window of his condominium at the roofs of the Winnipeg Skyline.

"Look at all that unused real estate," Alex

thought to himself, as he came up with an idea to harness its space and energy. "I started researching wind turbines and came across the vertical axis design. I fell in love the simplicity of the model."

Stuart and his partner

Justin Phillips at Global Wind Group are now marketing their technology to India, several countries in the Caribbean and Canada's Northern Territories where electricity is expensive and difficult to maintain. It also hasn't been plagued with the problems facing the large scale turbines because of its compact, vertical design and minimal noise.

"Some entrepreneurs will sell at this stage, recoup the money and go on. We're really motivated to keep this going and stay in the business."

Are you thinking about starting your own business but are in need of some inspiration?

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Business advice

Stuart's tips for new entrepreneurs.

- 1 Do your market research – it's critical
- 2 Find qualified mentors
- 3 Seek investment well before you run out of money
- 4 Be prepared for bankruptcy
- 5 Keep your eye on your cash flow

► Alex Stuart is confident that, when it comes to wind turbines, the vertical axis design works best.



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It was March of 2005, and I was on the verge of finishing an undergraduate degree in English at Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario.

I was also working full-time in a managerial capacity at a bar and nightclub on campus. I generally don't take on a job or project unless I'm prepared to pour my heart and soul into it. I was lucky to be aligned with others that operated the same way, in my role as manager of food operations at the Queen's Pub and Alfie's Pub on campus. Our team was able to achieve exceptional results, and we ultimately went on to turn around two struggling campus operations.

One night in the spring of 2005, after months of hard work, I received an unexpected voice mail message from the food service rep that I dealt with when ordering food and supplies. This individual worked for SYSCO Food Services and he mentioned that his company was interested in hiring a bright, ambitious grad.

If I was interested in working with their compa-



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ny upon graduation, I should apply, and he would provide me with a stellar reference.

That voice mail message ultimately led me to apply for a position in sales and marketing for SYSCO Food Services. I was accepted for the role and I moved from my hometown of Toronto to beautiful Victoria, B.C., where I spent the next five years living, working, and enjoying all that the west coast of Canada has to offer.

If you're a student, the bottom line is this: That summer job you have, or that part-time position you're working in while you're in school, can lead to much bigger and better things. If you do an excellent job with what you've got to work with, people will notice and job offers

might just come your way out of the blue.

But the key is, you need to do an outstanding job, even when you think no one is watching. It all starts with the right attitude and you need to recognize opportunities when they come your way.

Where Robert is now

Upon completion of an MBA in 2010, I founded AllergyTrails.com — the world's leading food allergy review community. I am currently focused on building AllergyTrails.com into a thriving online community of individuals affected by food allergies.

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"We had a lot of fun in here this weekend ... We gave ourselves multiple opportunities and we just came up short here in the ninth."

Desperate Flames get win in Denver

► Climb to within one point of eighth-place Chicago ► Blackhawks have two games in hand on Calgary

Miikka Kiprusoff stopped 34 shots, Alex Tanguay had a goal and an assist, and the Calgary Flames boosted their post-season chances with a 2-1 win over the Colorado Avalanche last night.

Olli Jokinen also scored, and the Flames (40-29-11) are within a point of the Chicago Blackhawks, who lost 2-0 to Tampa Bay yesterday. The Blackhawks have played two fewer games than the Flames.

Peter Budaj made 34 saves and Milan Hedjuk scored for Colorado (29-41-8), which has won only four times in 29 games.

The game was scoreless after one period, but Calgary grabbed the lead 10:23 into the second on Jokinen's 17th goal.

After killing off two power plays, the Flames dumped the puck deep into the Avalanche end. A clearing attempt by Colorado bounced in front of the net to Jokinen, who chipped the puck past Budaj.

Colorado kept the pressure on Calgary but Kiprusoff came up with big saves. His best stop came 90 seconds after Jokinen's goal when he made a



sprawling pad save on David Jones and then smothered the rebound.

Tanguay made it 2-0 with his 21st of the season with 11:47 left in the game.

The Avalanche finally got on the board when Hedjuk buried a rebound with five minutes left for his 21st goal.

Colorado pulled Budaj for an extra attacker with 1:14 left but couldn't score the tying goal.

Both teams had great chances in the first period. Colorado's Ryan O'Reilly missed an open net when Flames defenceman Robyn Regehr deflected his shot. Jay McClement hit a post, and Jones was stopped by Kiprusoff when he came in alone. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



► Avalanche centre Ryan O'Reilly trips over Flames goalie Miikka Kiprusoff in the first period in Denver last night.

Canadians off to perfect start at curling tourney

Canada's Jeff Stoughton picked up his third straight win to open the Ford Men's World Curling Championship yesterday despite German skip Andy Kapp's one-man show.

"We have to give credit to Andy Kapp because

90% Jeff Stoughton's team shot 90 per cent to Germany's 71.

that could have been a blowout for sure," said Stoughton third Jon Mead.

Canada scored two points in the third and seventh ends with last-rock advantage and stole one in the tenth, while Germany couldn't muster a multi-point end when they had the hammer.

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game is tonight at 7 p.m.
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Sports in brief

Small schools deliver ratings

■ The Final Four pairing of Virginia Commonwealth and Butler didn't hurt TV ratings.

Saturday night's 8.9 rating and 17 share on CBS tied for the highest since 2005. The championship

Shaq's return short-lived

NBA. Shaquille O'Neal lasted a little more than five minutes in his return for the Boston Celtics yesterday before limping off the floor. He went back in for the second half, but went to locker-room in the first minute. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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	GP	W	L	OTL	SL	GF	GA	Pts	Home	Away	Last 10	Strk
dc-Washington	79	46	22	5	6	216	192	103	24-8-2-6	22-14-3-0	3-3-0-4	L3
dx-Philadelphia	79	46	22	4	7	247	210	103	21-12-2-5	25-10-2-2	3-3-0-4	W2
y-Boston	78	44	23	5	6	235	184	99	20-13-3	24-10-3-2	6-2-1-1	W1
x-Pittsburgh	79	46	25	5	3	225	192	100	24-14-2-0	22-11-3-3	7-3-0-0	W1
x-Tampa Bay	79	44	24	5	6	235	232	99	24-11-4	23-13-2-4	6-2-1-1	W5
Montreal	79	42	30	4	3	208	204	91	23-11-3	19-19-1-0	4-6-0-0	W1
Buffalo	79	40	29	9	2	232	220	90	19-16-3	21-13-0-2	6-2-2-0	W1
NY Rangers	79	42	32	2	3	223	190	89	18-16-3	24-16-1-0	7-2-0-1	W1
Carolina	79	38	30	6	5	225	232	87	21-13-3	17-17-3-3	7-2-1-0	L1
Toronto	79	37	32	5	5	213	240	84	18-14-3	19-18-2	7-3-0-0	W3
Atlanta	78	33	33	5	7	214	252	78	17-15-2	16-18-3-2	5-5-0-0	L1
New Jersey	78	36	37	3	2	163	196	77	20-16-2	16-21-2-2	4-5-0-1	L1
NY Islanders	79	30	37	7	5	220	250	72	17-18-4	13-19-6-1	3-5-2-0	L1
Ottawa	79	30	39	5	5	183	243	70	14-20-3	16-19-3-2	4-5-0-1	L1
Florida	79	29	38	5	7	190	220	70	15-17-4	14-21-2-2	1-6-0-3	L8

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dx-Detroit	79	46	23	6	4	255	231	102	21-13-4	25-10-2-2	5-3-2-0	W2
dx-San Jose	78	46	23	4	5	234	201	101	21-11-3	23-12-2-2	7-10-2	W3
Los Angeles	78	45	27	4	2	213	185	96	24-12-3	21-15-2	7-2-1-0	L1
Phoenix	79	42	25	7	5	224	217	96	20-13-4	22-12-2-2	7-2-0-1	L1
Nashville	79	42	26	7	4	209	188	95	22-9-5	20-17-2	7-2-1-0	L1
Anaheim	79	44	30	3	2	228	231	93	24-13-1	20-17-2	7-3-0-0	L2
Chicago	78	42	28	3	5	246	214	92	23-16-0	19-12-4	5-4-1-0	L1
Calgary	80	40	29	4	7	242	233	91	22-13-3	18-16-3-4	4-4-1-1	W2
Dallas	78	39	28	4	7	214	224	89	20-11-5	15-20-3-2	5-5-0-0	W1
Minnesota	79	37	34	3	5	198	224	82	18-17-2	19-17-1-2	2-7-1-0	L2
St. Louis	79	36	33	4	6	232	229	82	21-13-4	15-20-3-2	5-5-0-0	W1
Columbus	79	34	32	5	8	209	246	81	17-18-4	17-14-4-4	2-5-2-1	L3
Colorado	78	29	41	7	1	218	275	66	15-20-4	14-21-1-2	3-7-0-0	L1
Edmonton	78	24	42	3	9	186	256	59	12-21-5	12-22-2-3	1-6-12	W1

x — clinched playoff berth; y — clinched division title; d — division leaders; a team winning in overtime or shootout is credited with two points and a victory in the W column; the team losing in overtime or shootout receives one point which is registered in the OTL or SOL columns.

Yesterday's results

Calgary 2	Colorado 1
Buffalo 2	Carolina 1 (OT)
Dallas 4	Anaheim 3
Detroit 4	Minnesota 2
St. Louis 6	Colorado 1
N.Y. Rangers 3	Philadelphia 2 (SO)
Tampa Bay 2	Chicago 0
Saturday's results	
Edmonton 4	Vancouver 1
Montreal 3	New Jersey 1
Toronto 4	Ottawa 2
Boston 3	Atlanta 2
Carolina 4	N.Y. Islanders 2
Detroit 4	Nashville 3 (OT)
Los Angeles 3	Dallas 1
Pittsburgh 4	Florida 2

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First Period	
No Scoring.	
Penalty — Bouwmeester Cal (holding) 4:16.	
Second Period	
Penalties — Backlund Cal (slashing) 2:13, Bouwmeester Cal (holding) 7:43, Duchene Col (slashing) 14:51.	
Third Period	
2. Calgary, Tanguay 21 (Iginla) 8:13	
3. Colorado, Hejduk 21 (Liles, Olver) 15:00	
Penalties — None.	
Shots	
Calgary 11 12 13 36	
Colorado 10 18 7 35	
Goal — Calgary: Kiprusoff (W, 36-24-6); Colorado: Budaj (L, 14-19-4).	
Power plays (goals-chances) — Calgary: 0-1; Colorado: 0-3.	
Referees — Brad Watson, Dan O'Halloran.	
Linesmen — Jonny Murray, Pierre Racicot.	
Attendance — 13,896 (18,007).	

SATURDAY

LEAFS 4, SENATORS 2

First Period	
1. Toronto, Kessel 30 (Grabovski, MacArthur) 12:23.	
Penalties — Condra Ott (hooking) 5:45, Rosehill Tor (cross-checking) 15:13.	
Second Period	
2. Toronto, Kadri 3, 4:32	
3. Ottawa, Spezza 18 (Butler) 19:05	
Penalties — Grabovski Tor (tripping) 1:13, Winchester Ott (high sticking) 3:43, Grabovski Tor (tripping) 9:14, Smith Ott (boarding major) 11:44.	
Third Period	
4. Ottawa, Spezza 19 (Benoit, Wiercioch) 3:03 (pp).	
5. Toronto, Bozak 14 (Lupul, Gunnarsson) 5:42 (pp).	
6. Toronto, Kulenin 29 (MacArthur) 18:40.	
Penalties — Grabovski Tor (tripping) 1:13, Winchester Ott (high sticking) 3:43, Grabovski Tor (tripping) 9:14, Smith Ott (boarding major) 11:44.	
Shots	
Toronto 11 6 13 30	
Ottawa 8 10 7 25	
Goal — Toronto: Reimer: (W, 20-8-4); Ottawa: Anderson: (L, 22-20-0). Power plays (goals-chances) — Toronto: 0-3; Ottawa: 1-3.	
Referees — Wes McAuley, Dean Morton.	
Linesmen — Scott Driscoll, Tony Sericolo.	
Attendance — 19,243 (19,153).	

OILERS 4, CANUCKS 1

First Period

1. Edmonton, Foster 7 (Jones, Eberle) 16:46 (pp).

Penalties — Eberle Edm (tripping) 3:28, Rome Vcr (tripping) 15:03.

Second Period

2. Edmonton, Eberle 18 (Cogliano, Foster) 2:53 (pp).

3. Edmonton, Omark 5 (Hartikainen, Cogliano) 9:59

4. Vancouver, Burrows 25 (H. Sedin, Bieksa) 15:20

Missed penalty shot — Hartikainen Edm, 16:29

Penalties — Oreskovich Vcr (hooking) 2:41, Vandermeer Edm (tripping) 4:11, Jacques Edm, Glass Vcr (fighting) 8:32, VandeVelde Edm (hooking) 18:53.

Third Period

5. Edmonton, Paajarvi 13 (Omark, VandeVelde) 10:14.

Penalties — Paajarvi Edm (boarding) 13:46, Rome Vcr (elbowing) 18:28.

Shots

Edmonton 9 10 15 34

Vancouver 11 9 21 41

Goal — Edmonton: Dubnyk (W, 11-12-8); Vancouver: Schneider (L15-4-2). Power plays (goals-chances) — Edmonton: 2-3; Vancouver: 0-4.

Referees — Steve Kozari, Rob Martell. Linesmen — Lonnie Cameron, Jay Sharrers.

Attendance — 18,860.

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Country (skip) Canada (Stoughton)

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Sweden (Edin)

Czech Rep. (J. Snitil)

France (Dufour)

China (Chen)

Germany (Kapp)

Switzerland (Schwaller)

Norway (Ulsrud)

U.S. (Fenson)

Denmark (T. Stjerne)

South Korea (D. Lee)

ROUND ROBIN

Yesterday's results

Third Draw

Czech Republic 7 Norway 5 (extra end)

Switzerland 6 U.S. 4

Fourth Draw

Canada 7 Germany 4

China 7 Denmark 6

Sweden 7 France 6

Fifth Draw

Czech Republic 8 China 5

Germany 9 Norway 8

Scotland 10 Switzerland 6

Sweden 11 U.S. 2

Saturday's results

First Draw

Canada 8 Switzerland 4

U.S. 7 Denmark 4

France 9 Czech Republic 5

Norway 8 South Korea 7 (extra end)

Second Draw

Canada 3 Denmark 5

China 6 Germany 4

France 8 South Korea 2

Scotland 7 Sweden 6

Today's games

Sixth Draw, 10:30 a.m.

France vs. Denmark; China vs. Sweden; Canada vs. South Korea; Scotland vs. Germany.

Seventh Draw, 3:30 p.m.

Norway vs. Sweden; Germany vs. U.S.; Scotland vs. Czech Republic; China vs. Switzerland.

Eighth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

U.S. vs. Canada; South Korea vs. Czech Republic; Switzerland vs. Denmark; France vs. Norway.

Ninth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

France vs. Denmark; China vs. Sweden; Canada vs. South Korea; Scotland vs. Germany.

Tenth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

Norway vs. Sweden; Germany vs. U.S.; Scotland vs. Czech Republic; China vs. Switzerland.

Eleventh Draw, 9:30 p.m.

U.S. vs. Canada; South Korea vs. Czech Republic; Switzerland vs. Denmark; France vs. Norway.

Twelfth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

France vs. Denmark; China vs. Sweden; Canada vs. South Korea; Scotland vs. Germany.

Thirteenth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

Norway vs. Sweden; Germany vs. U.S.; Scotland vs. Czech Republic; China vs. Switzerland.

Fourteenth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

U.S. vs. Canada; South Korea vs. Czech Republic; Switzerland vs. Denmark; France vs. Norway.

Fifteenth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

France vs. Denmark; China vs. Sweden; Canada vs. South Korea; Scotland vs. Germany.

Sixteenth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

Norway vs. Sweden; Germany vs. U.S.; Scotland vs. Czech Republic; China vs. Switzerland.

Seventeenth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

U.S. vs. Canada; South Korea vs. Czech Republic; Switzerland vs. Denmark; France vs. Norway.

Eighteenth Draw, 9:30 p.m.

France vs. Denmark; China vs. Sweden; Canada vs. South

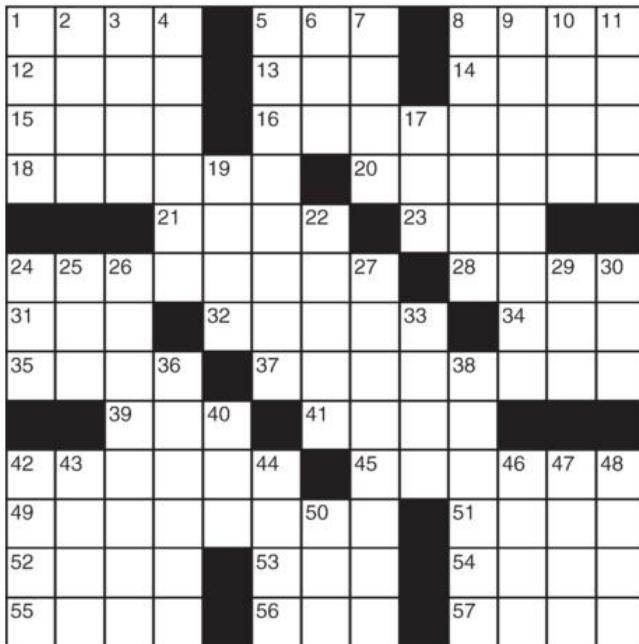
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Across

1 Opposed to
5 Central
8 Bedouin
12 Iowa crop
13 Alias abbr.
14 Erte's art style
15 Grand story
16 Wicker-encased
bottle
18 Insist on
20 Served tea
21 Appear to be
23 Spoon-bender
Geller
24 Outward manner
28 Slithery fish
31 Eggs
32 Male voice
34 Born
35 Instrument of
Marxism?
37 Insanity
39 Youngster
41 Harvard rival
42 Upper part of the
foot
45 Maidens of Greek
myth
49 Blue-stater
51 Hen pen
52 Slender
53 Japanese sash
54 Earthenware pot
55 Sea flock
56 Govt. media moni-
itor
57 Agrees silently

Down

1 Scored 100 on
2 "Unh-unh"
3 Decorate, perhaps
4 If



5 Aroused anger
6 Eisenhower
7 Moist
8 Urge earnestly
9 Get one's bearings
back
10 Rue the run
11 007
17 Debtor's letters
19 All spruced up
22 Cash
24 Homer's interjec-
tion
25 A Gabor sister
26 Skilled shooter
27 Amoristic

29 Hawaiian garland
30 Caribbean or
Caspian
33 Depend (on)
36 Mountaineer's
spikes
38 Without dissent
40 Calendar abbr.
42 Not busy
43 — -do-well
44 Lecture hall VIP
46 Equestrians' game
47 Maintain
48 Resorts
50 "Wipeout" net-
work

► Weekend's answer



Today's horoscope



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Aries March 21-April 20
What good is life if you can't
treat yourself to a few harm-
less dreams.

Taurus April 21-May 21
The planets urge you to get over
whatever it is that has made
you a bit depressed.

Gemini May 22-June 21
If someone makes you an inter-
esting offer don't just assume
there must be a catch.

Cancer June 22-July 22
You
won't get people to follow you
simply by barking orders at them.

Leo July 23-Aug. 23 What hap-
pens over the next 24 hours
will prove you were right.

Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 Make
every hour, every minute and
every moment count.

Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Life is
as good as you want it to be,
so want it to be perfect in
every way — and it will be.

Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 Get
busy on that artistic project
you have been thinking about.

Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21
Not everyone is against you

and even those who are act
mainly out of fear, trust more.

Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20
If you don't push yourself a bit
today you'll feel as if you have
let yourself down. Get busy.

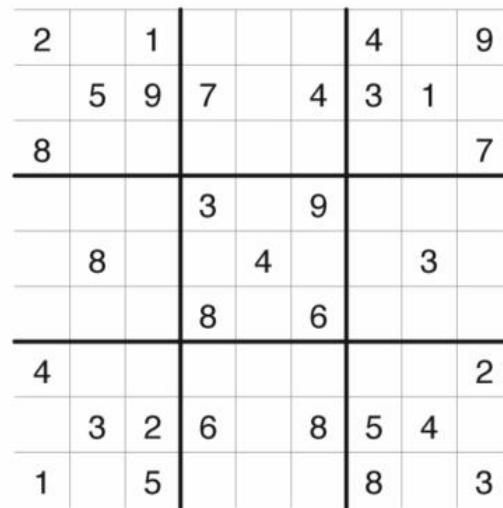
Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18
You've always been adventur-
ous, but now there's a purpose
to your travels.

Pisces Feb. 19-March 20
What is your highest ideal?
Can you live up to that vision
of yourself? Yes you can.

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Sudoku



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I Love you too Courtney D.
Over two and a half years
and still going strong. But
always remember Courtney
feet used to be Courtney
sweet. But guess what? ...
They still are. <3

Dear Debra, Thank you for
keeping us sheltered and
being so good to us. You are
the honey to our hive.
Love, THE HIVE

Tom, That was the last
weekend we had apart.
From now on the time is
ours. Can't wait to cuddle
up and sleep in whenever
we want. Love you forever
and completely, RUTH

To my Princess. You get
more and more beautiful
every time I see you. Thank
you for this wonderful,
amazing second time
around. We've got it right
this time, don't we? I love
you, baby.
JJ

How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every
row, every column and every
3x3 box contains the digits
1-9. There is no math
involved. You solve the
puzzle with reasoning and
logic.

Weekend's answer ►



A look at the weather

TODAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Min -3° Max 6°	Min -5° Max 3°	Min -2° Max 7°

Andrew Schultz,
Meteorologist

"I get to spread the word
on how your day, evening
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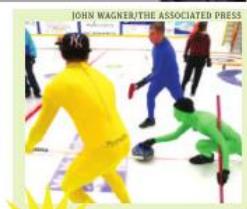


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got your nose."

PHILIP TANJUTCO



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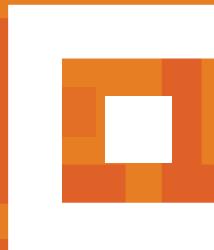
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